

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hideyuki Kikuchi
 Serial No.: 10/720,996
 Conf. No.: 3391
 Filed: 11/24/2003
 For: DISK DRIVE INCLUDING READ
 AND WRITE IC CHIPS (as
 amended)
 Art Unit: 2652
 Examiner: Renner, Craig A.



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27 July 05 *PGB*
 Date Registration No. 29,367
 Attorney for Applicant(s)

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	10	- 20 =	0	x \$ 50.00	\$ 0
Independent Claims	4	- 4 =	0	x \$200.00	\$ 0
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims				\$360.00	\$ 0
		Total Additional Fee		\$ 0	
		Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)		\$ 0	

(X) Amendment A.

(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

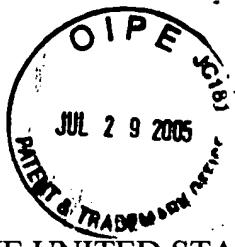
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AMENDMENT A

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 29, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

In the Title:

Please amend the title as follows:

~~HEAD SUSPENSION ASSEMBLY HAVING SMALLER STRAY~~
CAPACITANCE DISK DRIVE INCLUDING READ AND WRITE IC CHIPS